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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

KAZUMI MIYAMOTO, et al.

Art Unit: 2839

Serial No.: 09/779,605 ✓

Examiner: C. Prasad

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For: CONNECTING MEMBER FOR A SOUND  
GENERATOR

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**AMENDMENT**

Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 25, 2002,  
please amend the above-captioned patent application as  
follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

/ 5. (Amended) A connecting device for a sound generator  
comprising:

a pair of connecting spring plates disposed adjacent to  
the sound generator, each of the connecting spring plates  
comprising a base end connecting portion, an intermediate  
portion, a branch portion, and a head end connecting portion,  
the intermediate portion and the branch portion forming an L-  
shape, the branch portion being extended away from the other

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